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Attorney General John Ashcroft US Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530

Dear Attorney General Ashcroft:

The Department of Justice and Microsoft reached an agreement in November settling the antitrust suit brought against Microsoft. I am writing to say that I support this agreement. I feel it is fair and reasonable, and has already been approved by nine states. I see no need for further federal action, especially while Microsoft is negotiating with the remaining states to reach an agreement.

Although the settlement calls for concessions that make antitrust precedent, Microsoft has agreed in an effort to end this case sooner rather than later. The longer this debacle ensues, the longer that the IT sector will focus on litigation, rather than innovation.

We must allow the industry and the economy to move forward. I feel that this settlement provides that vehicle. Thank you for your consideration of my opinions.

Sincerely,

Harry P. Lee

cc: Representative Elton Gallegly